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## EXPORT EXCELLENCE AWARDS 2019 (Organized by STAR/Standard Chartered Bank)

On 18 November 2019, K-One accomplished another milestone to clinch the Silver Award for Mid-Tier Companies under the Electrical & Electronics Category in the inaugural Export Excellence Awards 2019 in a Gala Dinner held at Hotel EQ, Kuala Lumpur. In the words of the organizers, the Export Excellence Awards 2019 was meant to honour outstanding achievements of export businesses as well as their leaders who have contributed greatly to help the nation (Malaysia) grow. On behalf of K-One, our CEO - Dato' Martin Lim was proud to be handed a trophy and a certificate in recognition of K-One's outstanding international success in exporting multifarious electronic and electrical products, ranging from medical/healthcare devices to IoT gadgets to all parts of the world.



***Dato' Martin Lim, Chief Executive Officer of K-One being presented the Silver Award by Mr. Andreas Vogiatzakis (right), Chief Executive Officer of the Star Media Group Bhd. On his left is Mr. Abrar A. Anwar, Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of Standard Chartered Bank Malaysia.***



***The anticipated moment when K-One was announced as the Silver Award Winner – Electrical & Electronics (Mid-Tier Companies).***

The Export Excellence Awards 2019 is organised by Star Media in partnership with Standard Chartered Bank Malaysia and supported by the Malaysia External Trade Development Corporation (MATRADE) as patron.



The inaugural event was officiated by Mr. Andreas Vogiatzakis, Chief Executive Officer of the Star Media Group Berhad and graced by YB Datuk Ignatius Darell Leiking, Minister of International Trade and Industry as guest of honor.



**YB Datuk Ignatius Darell Leiking, Minister of International Trade and Industry, the guest of honor addressing the audience.**

The night was filled with a mix of camaraderie and suspension as the participants anxiously await the results of the winners who were reviewed by a team of independent qualified judges in conjunction with the audit firm - BDO.



**Winners' smiles.**

Awards were given to seven industry segments in the fields of: 1)Electrical & Electronics 2)Oil & Gas 3)Chemical, Mineral & Alloy 4)Agriculture 5)Machinery, Equipment & Automation 6)Other Industries and 7)Services. The awards were further sub-categorised based on sales turnover, namely; a)Large Companies b)Mid-Tier Companies c)SMEs. For each segment and sub-category, there were 2 winners; Gold and Silver.

K-One is indeed proud to be recognized for export excellence once again and repetitively over the years. For the record, it has been exporting more than 90% of its products and services for each and every year since its inception in 2001. In fact, it was 99% export driven in the last 3 years ie 2016-18. Bravo.. K-One!!



**One for the album - YB Datuk Ignatius Darell Leiking with the beaming K-One staff after the award ceremony.**